Amendment No. 1 to HB7063

White Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 7094

House Bill No. 7063*

by deleting Section 8 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-4202, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() "Retired law enforcement officer" means an individual who is no more than seven (7) years retired from service as a law enforcement officer, as defined in § 39-11-106, from a federal, state, or local law enforcement agency;

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-104, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(2) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, the commission shall waive the requirement that a law enforcement officer be employed by a law enforcement agency in order to receive the basic training in school policing required for school resource officers pursuant to § 49-6-4217 so that school resource officers, as defined in § 49-6-4202(6)(B) or (C), who have been assigned to a public school by the director of schools or the director of the public charter school may receive the training.

SECTION 10. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-35-103(a), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

() A school resource officer, as defined in § 49-6-4202(6).

SECTION 11. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. **AND FURTHER AMEND** by deleting subdivision (6)(B) in the amendatory language of Section 1 and substituting instead the following:

(B) A retired law enforcement officer who has been assigned to a public school by the director of schools or by the director of the public charter school; or

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